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Attn: Mail Stop Amendment

Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Application No. 10/684,789; Filed: October 13, 2003
For: **Memory Interface System and Method**
Inventors: NOVAK *et al.*
Our Ref: 2875.0610001

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$1,020.00 to cover a three (3) month extension of time fee;
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
3. Power of Attorney to Prosecute Applications Before the USPTO;
4. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b);
5. Request for Change of Attorney Docket Number Pleading;
6. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111; and
7. A return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

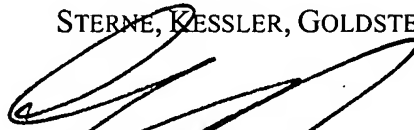
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Respectfully submitted,

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